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Applicant(s): Mayweather, Derek T.; Fan, Jason C.; Gemelos, Steven; Kalman, Robert F.;

Assignee: Luminous Networks, Inc.

Title: Bandwidth Reservation Reuse In Dynamically Allocated Ring Protection And Restoration Technique

Serial No.: 09/805,360 Filing Date: March 12, 2001

Examiner: Unknown Group Art Unit: Unknown

Docket No.: M-11493 US

San Jose, California  
July 11, 2001

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION -  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application—Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 14, 2001, the following documents are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent application:

1. A declaration signed by the inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63.
- and
2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted.

The United States Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2386:

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1.	Surcharge for filing declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application.	\$65.00
3.	<b>TOTAL FEES:</b>	<b>\$65.00</b>

The statutory basic filing fee of \$355 was previously authorized on March 12, 2001 with the application and posted to our deposit account No. 19-2386, per telephone conversation with Elisha Evans at the Initial Patent Examination Division on July 11, 2001.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2386.

It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above-identified patent application and justify the filing date of March 12, 2001. Please telephone the undersigned at (408) 453-9200, if there are any questions. This form is being submitted in duplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

**Original Signed**

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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27). Authorized on 3/12/01 per Telephone Conversation with Elisha Evans on 7/11/01.*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 420.

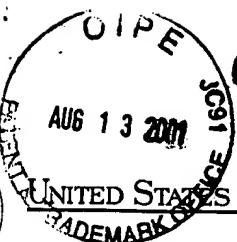
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*Response filed on July 11, 2001,  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (2 pages);
- (4) Declaration for Patent Application and POA (3 pages);
- (5) Part 2-copy to be returned with response (copy of Notice to File Missing Parts) (1 page).

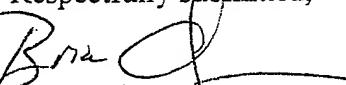
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